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GERMANS MAKE NEW ADVANCE FRENCH GIVE UP NOYON ALLIES START DRIVE IN ITALY

MUCKHELD AS ALLEN FOE; ON GRILL

Symphony Leader Cheered by Mrs. "Jack" Gardner During Crossfire by Federal Officials

Dr. Karl Muck, conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, underwent extensive questioning at the Federal building today following his arrest on the charge of being an alien enemy.

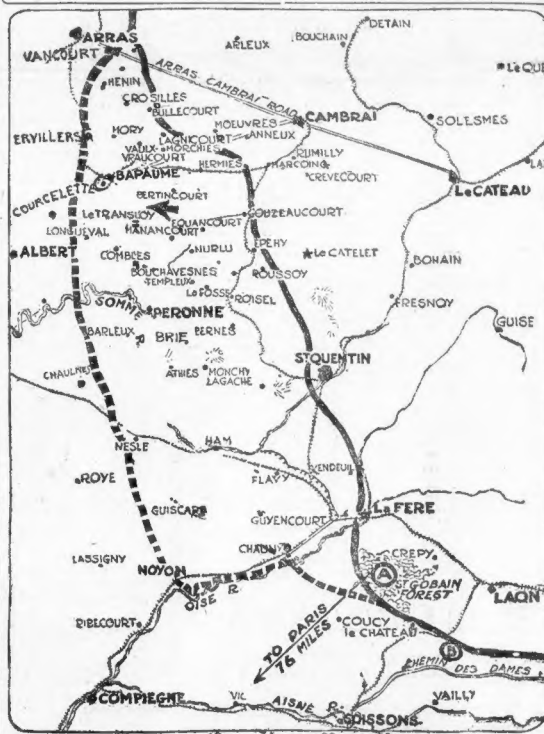
He was examined by United States District Attorney Thomas J. Flynn, and United States Assistant District Attorney Daniel A. Shea and J. J. Dewey.

No formal charges were made at the conclusion of the hearing. Dr. Muck was placed in the custody of United States Marshal John J. Mitchell. He was expected to be remanded to the East Cambridge Jail.

Mrs. "Jack" Gardner, back Bay society leader and patroness of art, called at the Federal building during the examination of the musical director. She was unable to talk with Dr. Muck, and was able to show her sympathy by a wave of the hand only. Mrs. Gardner was also unsuccessful in an attempt to see Chyngis A. Kille, manager of the Symphony.

It was stated that the performance of Muck's "Pavane" according to the program was scheduled at Symphony Hall as scheduled, with Ernest Schmidt as director in place of Dr. Muck. This performance has been in preparation all winter.

HOW THE GREAT BATTLE RUNS TODAY



Heavy line shows original battle front; broken line the front as it now exists. Noyon, whose evacuation by the French was announced today, represents the farthest advance of the Germans in the direction of Paris. The British line, to the north, has been slightly further withdrawn to new positions east of Albert and Roye. (A) St. Gobain forest, where big gun bombardment Paris is supposed to be. (B) Part of French line in Chemin des Dames sector held by Americans.

U. S. PATROL SHIP HITS ROCK AND SINKS; ALL SAFE

An American patrol ship was sunk off the North Atlantic coast today. The vessel struck a rock and sank four hours later. It was impossible to save her.

The cause of the accident has not been announced. The ship was heard off the coast at the time of the disaster, for the patrol boat, signaled for help. The ship, which was carrying a German submarine, was seen in the vicinity, who feared everything from a German submarine to an earthquake.

The coast guard put out boats to assist in taking the men from the sinking ship. The boat struck, it is understood, during a heavy fog.

CONCORD MAN WOUNDED: NOW IN PARIS HOSPITAL

Word was received at Concord today that William J. Marrs, of that town, lost engineer train, is in a hospital at Paris with his left hand shattered, only the little finger being saved. Cause of the wound is not definitely known, but thought to be due to explosion of a hand grenade.

KAISER'S LOSSES ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN 300,000 MEN

Rome, March 26.—Italian forces have taken the aggressive in conjunction with allied troops over a good portion of the front in northern Italy.

German advance in the world battle in France was indicated by official allied announcements today that the British forces north and south of the Somme have retired to new positions east of Albert and Roye and that the French have evacuated Noyon. The British, in retiring east of Roye and Albert, established themselves in new fortified positions. Unofficial London dispatches assert that, despite the terrific battering it is receiving, the allied front remains unshaken.

London gives a "conservative" estimate of German losses as between 300,000 and 350,000. It is figured that seventy German divisions are now engaged. A Berlin dispatch, via Amsterdam, says that the Germans are using tanks in the St. Quentin sector.

By International News Service.

London, March 26.—Fighting in the mighty battle in Picardy died down during the night, the British War Office reported today. The British have established themselves in new fortified positions east of Roye and Albert. The German losses are described as "appalling."

(The information that the British have taken up new positions east of Roye and Albert indicates another slight British retirement in those sectors. Roye is about six miles southwest of Nesle, which the Germans captured yesterday. Albert is ten miles southwest of Bapaume.)

A continuance of the violent fighting north of the Somme river was expected momentarily when

By International News Service.

Paris, March 26.—Noyon has been evacuated by the French, the War Office admitted today.

The French firmly hold the left bank of the Oise river, however. (Noyon lies north of the Oise river and it was in that district that the French took over a part of the British battle line.)

Violent fighting was in progress all night along the Noyon-Chauny front.

"The battle continued with great violence throughout the night, the Germans increasing their attacks along the whole of the Chauny-Noyon front," the official communique said.

"French infantry was efficiently supported by the artillery and our resistance to the German attacks greatly hampered the operations which they attempted."

"The enemy suffered heavy losses along the whole front."

"During the night the French evacuated Noyon, but the movement was carried out in perfect order."

"We still firmly hold our positions on the left bank of the Oise river."

LATEST!

ALLIED RESERVE ARMY READY TO STRIKE.

London, March 26.—The critical hour of the battle in Picardy is approaching. A big reserve army is being held behind the allied rear and advances from the front today indicated that a strong counter-offensive against the Germans might be expected soon.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENTS
 Boston bank clearing, \$32,400,000.
 New York bank clearing, \$22,400,000.
 New York sub-treasury, debit, \$1,101,000.

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GREAT BRITAIN ROLLS UP GERMANY'S LOSSES IN GREAT BATTLE ESTIMATED AT OVER 300,000

Continued from First Page.

Field Marshal Haig made his morning report to the War Office.

The Germans have again received reinforcement and the War Office estimated today that more than 70 German divisions had been engaged in the fighting which has been raging around Bapaume and along the Somme and Oise rivers.

(It is estimated that a German division contains about 12,500 fighting men.)

"During the night fighting activity died down," the War Office report said. "British forces took up previously prepared new positions to the east of Albert and Roye. North of the Somme River a renewal of fighting is expected, but has not yet developed. South of the Somme the Germans have resumed their assaults against the British and French in the sectors of Chaubuis and Roye. The German losses have been appalling. They have been compelled to reinforce all parts of their front."

"It is known that over seventy German divisions have been engaged in the fighting."

The German Crown Prince is in command of the German troops north of Peronne, and it is evident from the reports of the German office that extraordinary efforts are being made to achieve a victory for his army in order to remove the blot on his military reputation that resulted from the Verdun failure. The losses attending the attacks of the Crown Prince's army are said to be appalling.

The German tactics of sending troops into battle-line in massed formation have cost them staggering losses in the fighting which has continued night and day since the offensive opened last Thursday morning.

A conservative estimate places the German casualties at between 300,000 and 350,000 men. The Germans claim the capture of 45,000 allied prisoners of war, but even that number of prisoners in Western front fighting is out of proportion to the German losses.

Battle Rages Near Combles

The capture of Bapaume by the Germans wiped out the small British salient which lay southeast of the city, so that now the battle line is virtually straight from Combles northward to the Scarpe river.

A violent struggle is raging in the Combles sector, with the Germans trying to penetrate the British front in the direction of Albert.

The German War Office claims that the British have been driven back in the Bapaume-Peronne district to the old positions which they occupied two years ago, and that the German advance continues.

However, the Tenthers are meeting with the utmost resistance and it is announced that French troops and new supplies of guns are on their way to reinforce the English.

Judging from the German claims the Kaiser's armies have advanced from twelve to sixteen miles in certain districts of their offensive. According to the German War Office reports, the fighting line now runs northward from the Oise River halfway between Noyon and Chateau, past Nesle, Liessart, Bri, Peronne, Combles, Bapaume and Croisilles.

The German War Office insists that American troops are playing a role in the battle, stating that they were driven back, along with the British and French through a forest in the Guisard district. (Washington advises state that General Pershing has reported that two regiments of American engineers are with the British armies engaged in the gigantic battle of Ploeghe. Three companies of the American engineers are said to be working in the Crozat canal zone of the fighting where the Germans reported a furious struggle raging yesterday.)

Earth Shaken for Miles

The German advance at points where progress has been made is slow, considering the superior number of men and guns they have hung into the fray and the stupendous expenditure of ammunition. In the briefest lull of infantry fighting thousands of German guns go into action, their roar shaking the earth for miles as though an earthquake were raging.

It is believed that Field Marshal Haig has made preparations for strong counter attacks, and that the advanced German positions will soon be under heavy pressure if they are not already.

In his report on Monday night Field Marshal Haig said that heavy fighting continues along the front indicating that the German thrusts which started Monday morning continued far into the night.

It has been the custom of Germans in their present drive to use the same troops throughout the day in a series of assaults, replacing them at night with fresh soldiers for a continuation of the attack after darkness has fallen.

The British commander-in-chief said that the fighting over broad sectors of the front was of "the most severe description." This was especially so of the struggle to the north and south of Bapaume and south of Peronne.

In the Bapaume sector the Germans are fighting for elevated ground, while south of Peronne they are trying to establish their position on the Somme River.

(It was south of Peronne that heavy British counter attacks resulted in flinging the Germans from the western to the eastern bank on Sunday night.)

Field Marshal Haig spoke of fresh German troops which had been brought up to the front, but their onslaught was met with gallant resistance by the brave British forces.

Conflict Continuous, Wounded British Returned Say

By International News Service.

London, March 25.—Wounded British soldiers arriving here today from the western front describe the fighting in the battle of Ploeghe as continuous both night and day. The Germans are attempting to break through by sheer weight of numbers and by use of an unprecedented number of guns. Millions of shells are hurled by the guns on both sides every twenty-four hours along the fifty-mile fighting front from the Scarpe River to the Oise.

Drawn Battle a Defeat for the Germans, Is New York Editorial Opinion

By International News Service.

New York, March 25.—Editorial comment on the great German thrust on the West front here today struck an opinion, writers pointing out that the Allies have obtained unprecedented concentrations of troops especially in the east, and that a drawn battle is a German defeat.

The World points out that again the German general staff is gambling on sheer weight of men and metal, and that as long as the allied line holds, the German advance is a failure.

"A drawn battle of the Somme would be a decisive defeat of the Germans," the editorial writes, "because it would mean that the German army at home would not endure another disappointment of this kind."

The British front has been held back, the editorial says, and the British, "should the offensive continue night and day, it will represent only another sterile effort."

The Sun points out that the organization of the present drive are a record of efficiency and mastery by leadership, and that "nothing else could have been done to estimate the night of such an offensive."

"The big blow to America in the present situation," writes the Sun, "is its disclosure to our own people, of the magnitude of the struggle before us."

Says Offensive Was Forced by Approaching Crisis in Germany

By International News Service.

Washington, March 25.—British and French officials are still jubilant over the fact that Germany has taken the offensive before the allies did. They explain it on two grounds. They say:

"Either the German military leaders have determined that their machine can no longer be kept at it for a while still, or—

"That economic and political conditions within the central empire forced the German leaders to take a compromise step in which Germany would be forced to sacrifice all her conquests."

Either the state department to opinion was vented as to what conditions prompted the German offensive. Officials here are less and less convinced that the German offensive was a surprise move, and that the German offensive was a surprise move, and that the German offensive was a surprise move.

TREMBLING STAKE.
Of course if they win through all their sacrifices of men will be justified from their point of view. But if they fail—and there is no sign that they have failed—they have lost a tremendous stake. They have shattered the efficiency of their machine more effectively than if they had let it stand still until we were ready to attack.

If there is no doubt of food shortage in Germany. Everything indicates that Germany found a bare cupboard in Ukraine and Russia.

It may be that the small outburst in the Austrian railway strike is reported to be a widespread and grave industrial condition which is being kept by the advertised beginnings of a strike in the Austrian railways.

Such an offensive is probably planned as much to keep Austria internally divided as to keep the German army from being able to move on the Italian front.

FRANK S. HILL.

"Perhaps nothing hurried on the German side as much as the evidence of the determination of the United States to set its forces to Europe. This determination's latest proof was in all the newspapers of the Dutch ship."

The German general staff probably realized that the American additions to the allied forces were soon to come. It was but good tactics for them to attack before they arrive.

The British and French lines hold exacting their tribute of 10,000 German prisoners. The German line will be but a day's march from the British line.

With the American Army Service, March 25.—Americans in the front line in the Somme valley are generally regarded to the seventy-mile range from the front line. The German line is a mere day's march from the British line.

Various theories are advanced. Some say it is a purely tactical move to keep the German line from being able to move on the Italian front.

On Thursday afternoon the Dorchester Daughters' Club are to meet at the Dorchester Women's Club. Mrs. Hattie Wagner is to act as hostess. There is to be a talk on "Food Conservation" by Mrs. Florence Moore Wells.

3 OFFICERS AT CAMP DEVEANS PROMOTED

Lieut.-Col. Arnold Now Colonel;

Major Frothingham Is

Lieutenant-Colonel

By WILLIAM FLYNN.

Camp Devens, Mass., March 25.—

The promotion of three commission officers, several of whom are from Greater Boston, was announced at Division Headquarters today.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. Arnold of the 31st Infantry, "Boston's Own," was promoted and assigned to the command of the headquarters train and the military police, the place made vacant by the transfer of Colonel G. H. Bates to Washington.

Major Charles Frothingham of Boston, who has been acting commander of the 3rd Hospital, was promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel and made permanent commander of the hospital.

First Lieutenant William D. June of the 1st Cavalry, and First Lieutenant L. H. Lavelle of the 31st Infantry, both of whom were promoted to the rank of captain, were assigned to the 31st Infantry.

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U. S. Gunners Wipe Out Hun Trenches on Toul Front

Washington, March 25.—American

artillery has wiped out another section of the enemy's trench lines on the Toul front, according to information received today.

The bombardment was conducted Sunday night. The outlook while somewhat improved, is fraught with many dangerous possibilities.

The very presence on the German side of practically every German general officer who has won success in the present war emphasizes the importance which Germany attaches to the great battle, officers here say.

Their continued hopefulness of the final outcome, although that of the Toul front only yet to see with any degree of certainty, is a sign that the German push has attained its maximum.

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Army Chiefs Admit Dangerous

Possibilities, Are Eager to

See Haig Turn on Face

By International News Service.

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Germany's Foremost War Lords Now on Western Front

Amsterdam, March 25.—All of

Germany's foremost military leaders, with the possible exception of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, are now on the western front, German headquarters are said to be established temporarily at St. Quentin.

In addition to the Kaiser and the Crown Prince, Field Marshal von Hindenburg, Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, General von Ludendorff and scores of lesser generals are on the western front, between the Aisne River and the North Sea.

And no one here is disposed to question them, it is not a serious disaster, officials say. These men have had to be sacrificed by being ordered to hold certain advanced positions until the situation was completely overthrown. The guns were held in the same manner, the same guns, for distributing the forces which had been withdrawn behind the front line.

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Can Syrup 13c
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MELODRAMA A GRAPHIC WAR PICTURE
By FRED J. McILBAUGH
This little "The Rape of Belgium" would have been a success in the theatre long ago, but the long and horrible tale of the four years of German occupation of a beautiful country.

"THE CONQUERORS"
The "Conquerors" created a great sensation when it was presented by the Empire Theatre Stock Company twenty years ago. The banquet scene in which the Germans compelled the Frenchmen to serve them was considered exceedingly daring, and few Americans at that time believed in a truthful picture of Franco-German war times.

RECALLS "THE CONQUERORS"
I do not think anybody will question the probability of any of the incidents in this play. When the story opens a chateau in which two American women are staying is in a Prussian regiment, who immediately set about planning the subjugation of the ladies. An American actor captured when he was brought to the ground, turns out to be married to the younger of the two women.

SECOND ACT LIVES!
The first act, devoted to creating the probability of any of the incidents in this play, was very successful. In the second act the Prussian soldiers attempt to capture the heroine, and after a pursuit all over the chateau, which is a thrilling scene, the heroine escapes.

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TO STRENGTHEN PLAY.
The authors are not yet satisfied with the play, and I am told that the first act will be greatly strengthened within a few days, which is good news, as the final curtain at present is not convincing.

THE VETERAN ACTOR
The veteran actor Thomas E. Shea, who has been a member of the French army for the last four years, is now in the city. He is a Frenchman, and he is a Frenchman. He is a Frenchman, and he is a Frenchman.

MODERN THEATRE—Mary Garden
Mary Garden, the famous French actress, is now in the city. She is a Frenchwoman, and she is a Frenchwoman. She is a Frenchwoman, and she is a Frenchwoman.

THE "MELTING POT"
The "Melting Pot" is a play by David Belasco. It is a play about the life of a young man who comes to America and finds himself in a "melting pot" of different races and cultures. It is a play about the life of a young man who comes to America and finds himself in a "melting pot" of different races and cultures.

"MELTING POT" LIVERLY BILL MISS TUCKER IS SMOOTHLY PRESENTED

DELIGHTS AT KEITH'S
Bill Miss Tucker is a lively and entertaining actress. She is a Frenchwoman, and she is a Frenchwoman. She is a Frenchwoman, and she is a Frenchwoman.

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS



FOUR SLASH ROCKS PUNCH

Indians Strong Team, but Not Quite Flag Winners—Are Happy, Peaceful Crowd

By HUGH S. FULLERTON.

CLEVELAND INDIANS.—In military service, it is said to call, "Four Cleveland Indians were destined at first to fall just a bit short. With a team almost ripe to bid for a championship, it slipped and it seems to have slipped again, although not hopelessly.

No team possesses the punch furnished by Tris Speaker, Bob Harris and Chapman; no team with a hitting half like Wampanoag and Chapman; no team with pitchers like Huggins and Klopfer can be counted out at this stage of the game.

This team has about the best outfit of any club in the American League; the players are more loyal to the managerial staff and to each other and they have a natural admiration centering around Speaker that is wonderful—almost like old college days.

LACKS THE PUNCH.

But it seems to be a club that lacks that final finishing punch, that can follow through to the drive, it falls when the final test comes, through nerves or lack of courage, but simply because it can't go any further.

With such a pitcher to relieve the stress it might have a fighting chance of upsetting Boston and Chicago this year in spite of the losses and disappointments.

There appears to be something radically wrong in the system on which this club operates. Lou Bell came into the major leagues with great qualifications for a manager; the ability to pick good players and to condition them.

BELTUP IN FINE FATAL.

His reputation largely was based on the fact that he found and developed young players who were ready to play. He has been manager of the Indians for some years, but he has never where he was considered best-in-

coming player. He has been a pitcher brightly for a long time. For two seasons he has finished all pitched out. Last year the pitching staff was an average by the end of the year that the Cleveland Indians finished in the last place in the American League.

Hugh was all in, simply through carelessness. Yet an examination of the records does not show that the pitcher worked much above the average, and a closer investigation seems to indicate that they were over without much idea of exercising their strength.

Pitchers were worked out and needed, and then the next one to go was Jim. He was worked out to go.

It is said by the Ball System, Inc.

COOK'S Champagne

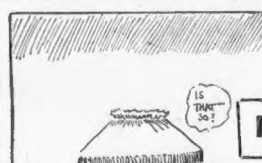
It takes a certain peculiar sort of food which are best of all when they are served with a champagne.

The excellence of the food is largely due to the fact that the grapes of which it is made are grown on just the right soil.

After the party, however, the order of the food is largely due to the fact that the grapes of which it is made are grown on just the right soil.

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INDOOR SPORTS



LISTENING TO A 300 L.B. DAME TELLS ME A PIP SHE WAS AT A CHILD AS YOU SHUFFLE THE PATRONS AT A CARO PARTY.

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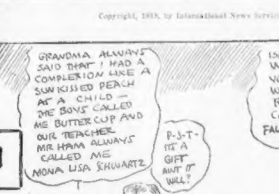
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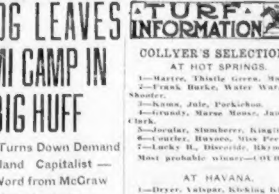
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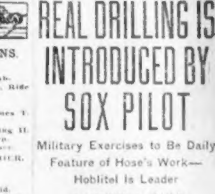
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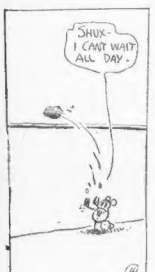
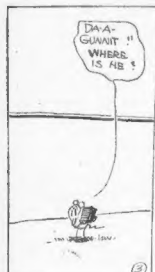
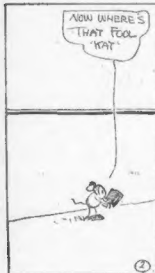
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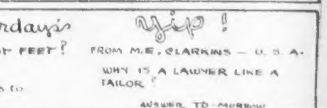
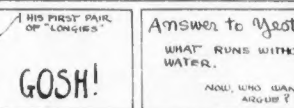
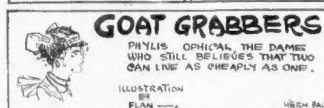
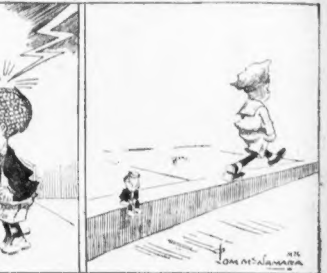
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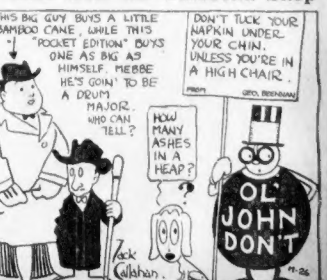
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Perhaps the Rat Isn't Wild in the Dark

Perhaps Abie Looked Too Prosperous

Ashur Will Now Get Another Earful

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A Dugout Somewhere in France

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If you believe that this plan should be adopted by the Legislature, sign with your full name and address the Petition which appears below and forward it without delay to the Petition Editor, Boston American, No. 80 Summer Street.

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We, the undersigned, citizens of the Metropolitan District served by the Boston Elevated Street Railway approve of the recommendation of the Public Service Commission that public directors be put in absolute control of the Boston Elevated Street Railway under such conditions and limitations as are set forth in the recommendation of the Public Service Commission; and we respectfully urge our Representatives in the Legislature to do everything they can to enact the recommendation of our public experts on Street Railway matters into law.

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**GIVE PARENTS
31 MINUTES
TIME EACH
DAY**

By Winifred Black

I READ a very interesting article the other day, all about what I would do if I were president.

It was full of good advice and common sense, and plain English and all the other things that are so easy to put into writing and so hard to put into life.

If I were twenty-one—what wouldn't I do! Dear me, it makes me gasp to think of it! And if I really were twenty-one again, I suppose I wouldn't even think of a single one of my good resolutions.

But, dear me! I can think of a whole lot of things I wouldn't do

I wouldn't think I was the one great, important created being on earth, and that no one in the family had any right to anything unless I said so—just because I was twenty-one and had varnished hair and a little mustache and the right to vote in every State in the Union.

What Would You Do?

If I was twenty-one I wouldn't think that mother was old-fashioned and auntie was out of date just because they wanted me to think a little something about a man's character and little less about his looks—even if I had big, soft, bright eyes and could wear the smallest high-heeled shoes in town and didn't want to vote anywhere the least little bit in the world.

After enfranchisement the problem confronting suffragists of the older generation is simple compared with that presented to younger women. To many of us who have been working for suffrage for so many years the actual possession of the ballot will prove the loss of our chosen work, leaving us rather tired and not especially fitted by that training to participate in the entirely new activities now open to women.

We shall be citizens, to be sure, with all the responsibility for service that goes with the privilege. And women of all ages will fulfill the citizen's duty as generally as men without any noticeable strain on their mental and moral forces.

But for leadership in the special activities to be started by women to make democracy safe for women and children, it will be younger women who will lead, women sensitive to the latest

radiations of social thought, those trained in the colleges and the labor unions to modern, or, I might say, post-war needs and methods. They will contribute to political thought something dif-

ferent from man's contribution, at once more conservative and more radical than man's. It will be more conservative of life, health, youth and innocence; more radical in its attitude toward the

I predict something more of happiness in marriage, the home and the community by this change for the better in the status of women, this extension of freedom and reinforcement of civilization.

To My Boy.
By KATHERYN BEUTTELL.

Because it speaks the love
and hopes and longings in every
mother's heart, this poem, writ-
ten by Mrs. Kathryn Beuttell
of Cincinnati to her son, Pri-
nce, is a beautiful machine

ivate R. K. Limes, machine gunner, has been printed and copies posted in all Y. M. C. A. buildings at Camp Sheridan, Ala.

night,
 For the space of an hour or
 two;
 And, in the glow of the warm fire-
 light,
 I am dreaming, dear, of you.
 I think with a smile of your baby

ways
and the odd little things you
said;
I live again through your child-
hood days,
the days that all too quickly
sped.

And still you are only a child in years.
With a man's real work to do;
I struggle between my hopes and fears.
But, son, I am proud of you.
I am your tender, happy way.

I love in a tender, soft,
The boy that you used to be;
What my heart holds for my boy
Today
Only One can ever see.
MOTHER.

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If I were twenty-one I wouldn't be bitter and cynical and hard in my judgments—I wouldn't expect every one to be perfect.

I wouldn't think that anyone with an income of less than ten thousand a year was an abject failure, no matter how fine and brave and noble the failure was, and I wouldn't look at every middle-aged man and wonder what on earth his wife ever saw in him; and I wouldn't stare at every middle-aged woman and think that I didn't see how her husband ever came to pick her out.

I wouldn't giggle every time anyone spoke of something serious, and I wouldn't sulk if someone with ten times my brain and fifty times my experience tried to tell me something I didn't know once in a while.

I wouldn't fill up my time reading serials and foolish little modern things, and forgetting that there was such a thing as a really fine piece of fiction in the world.

I wouldn't make fun of a girl because her clothes weren't in the latest style, and I wouldn't laugh at a decent young fellow because he was shy and didn't quite know how to get up and go home when the time came.

Think of Parents

I'd try to stop thinking about myself for thirty-two minutes and a half once every day, and I'd think about my mother during that time and try to feel the way she must feel once in a while, and try to be kinder to her, kinder than I was.

understand why she looks so tired and old these days, and what it is that makes her step not quite so quick and light as it used to be.

I'd take thirty-one minutes and a half of each day and think about my father, and try to imagine what would have become of me if I hadn't had him in the background all these years. And I'd interest

him for just thirty-one and a half minutes each day, and when he came home at night I'd talk with him about them and watch the tired look in his face change to one of astonished interest.

And I'd get over feeling as if

mother and father had had their day, anyhow, and couldn't really expect to be happy at their time of life, and I'd give them my youth and my strength, and my joy and my courage, and my love of life and my light laughter to

"Oh, if I had only understood!"
And these are a few of the

things I would not do—if I were
twenty-one.
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FROM PUCK

When he started dickering with
the Russian Bolsheviks, the Kaiser

paralleled the experience of the baby who poured molasses in the featherbed. He can't get them off his hands.

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